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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
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11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
12 Plaintiff, }  
13 v. }  
14 MARCI BALLEW, }  
15 Defendant. }

5493 KLS  
NO. CR03-5493-KLS  
INFORMATION  
(Misdemeanor)

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17 The United States Attorney charges that:

18 COUNT I

19 (False Entry in Labor Union Records)

20 On or about between December 1998, and October 2000, at Olympia, within the Western  
21 District of Washington, MARCI BALLEW, while employed as the Administrative Executive  
22 Director of Washington State Building and Construction Trades Council, Olympia, Washington,  
23 a labor organization engaged in an industry affecting commerce, did knowingly and willfully  
24 make false entries in books, records, reports, and statements of Washington State Building and  
25 Construction Trades Council, required to be kept by Sections 436 and 431 of Title 29, United  
26 States Code, that is, after receiving permission to make a single personal purchase using a  
27 "Pitneyworks" union credit card on the condition that she immediately pay the credit card bill,  
28 MARCI BALLEW, without authorization, used the "Pitneyworks" union credit card to make 91

1 additional personal purchases totaling approximately \$13,000, and, without making any  
2 payments on the principal, thereafter listed her personal purchases in the union books, records,  
3 and reports, as expenses of the union.

4 All in violation of Title 29, United States Code, Sections 402(i) and (j) and 439(c).

5 DATED this \_\_\_\_ day of August, 2003.

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